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Ottawa, IL – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced today that IL 40 at the Union Pacific Railroad overhead structure south of I-80 in Bureau County will be closed from 9 p.m. to 5 a.m. beginning Tuesday, November 8, 2016, for up to three days. IL 40 will be open to vehicle traffic from 5 a.m. to 9 p.m. IL 40 is being closed to allow the Union Pacific Railroad to make repairs to their structure. IL 40 traffic will proceed as follows:

IL 40 northbound traffic will proceed east on US 6/34 to IL 26; thence north on IL 26 to I-80; thence west on I-80 back to IL 40.

IL 40 southbound traffic will proceed east on I-80 to IL 26; thence south on IL 26 to US 6/34; thence west on US 6/US 34 back to IL 40.

Motorists are urged to use caution and expect delays while traveling the detour route.

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